WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. An EL display device comprising:

a first substrate and a second substrate being bonded to each other, each of said first and second substrates being opposite to each other with a predetermined gap provided therebetween;

a pixel matrix circuit and a driver circuit for driving the pixel matrix circuit, each of the pixel matrix circuit and the driver circuit being formed over the first substrate;

an adhesive layer being formed closely to the sides of portions of the first and second substrates opposite to each other; and

a tape being formed closely to the adhesive layer.

2. A device according to claim 1,

wherein the tape covers a periphery of an exposed surface of the first and second substrates.

3. A device according to claim 1,

wherein the tape has heat conductivity higher than the adhesive layer.

4. A device according to claim 1,

wherein the display device is an active matrix type display device in which the first substrate thereover comprises the pixel matrix circuit and a driver circuit for driving at least an active element being formed in the pixel matrix circuit.

5. An EL display device comprising:

a first substrate and a second substrate being bonded to each other, said first and second substrates being opposite to each other with a predetermined gap provided therebetween;

a pixel matrix circuit and a driver circuit for driving the pixel matrix circuit, each of the pixel matrix circuit and the driver circuit being formed over the first substrate;

an adhesive layer being formed closely to the sides of the first and second substrates; and

a frame member being formed closely to the adhesive layer.

6. A device according to claim 5,

wherein the frame member covers a periphery of an exposed surface of the first and second substrates.

7. A device according to claim 5,

wherein the frame member has heat conductivity higher than the adhesive layer.

8. A device according to claim 5,

wherein the display device is an active matrix type display device in which the first substrate thereover comprises the pixel matrix circuit and the driver circuit for driving at least an active element being formed in the pixel matrix circuit.